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1. ACCORDING TO A RECENT PRESS REPORT, THE CANADIAN ESKIMO ORGANIZATION INIUT TAPIVISAT OF CANADA WILL HOLD THE FIRST POLAR CONFERENCE OF ESKIMOS AT POINT BARROW, ALASKA, IN JUNE. THE MEETING IS REPORTEDLY FINANCED BY THE ELI LILLY FOUNDATION OF NEW YORK AND 18 GREENLANDERS, 18 ALASKANS AND 18 CANADIANS WILL ATTEND. THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE MEETING IS TO ESTABLISH AN INTERNATIONAL ESKIMO ORGANIZATION TO BE CALLED INIUTS INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY (ITC). AMONG MANY QUESTIONS TO BE DISCUSSED IS THE NECESSITY OF WINNING THE AGREEMENT OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE USA, CANADA AND DENMARK FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF UNIFORM CONDITIONS FOR OIL EXPLOITATION. THE DESCRIPTION OF THE MEETING WAS GIVEN TO THE NEWSPAPER INFORMATION (LEFTIST-INTELLECTUAL) BY GREENLANDER JENS LYBERT, WHO FOR THE LAST RHEEE YEARS/HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN ESKIMO AFFAIRS IN CANADA.

2. ACCORDING TO PROFESSOR OROBERT PETERSEN, AN ESKIMO EXPERT, GREENLANDERS WILL ATTEND. THE TWO GREENLAND MEMBERS OF THE FOLKETING, LARS EMIL JOHANSEN AND
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OTTO STEENHOLDT, WILL ATTEND AS WELL AS SCHOOL TEACHER KARL KRISTIAN OLSEN, SCHOOL PRINCIPAL KARL ELIAS OLSEN, ADO LYNGE OF THE GREENLAND COMMUNES' ORGANIZATION, FORMER MEMBER OF FOLKETING MOSES OSLER, PROVINCIAL COUNCIL MEMBER ODA OLSEN, PAINTER AND AUTHOR HANS LYNGE, AND PROFESSOR PETERSEN,. WE HAVE NOT LEARNED THE NAMES OF THE OTHER NINE MEMBERS OF THE GREENLAND

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